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Sir:

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed February 25, 2002 in the above-identified application, enclosed is a properly signed declaration in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63 identifying the application by the above Serial Number and Filing Date, and the return copy of the Notice.

Enclosed are newly corrected Figs. 5 and 6 as set forth in 37 CFR §1.84(e).

Applicant respectfully requests that a corrected filing receipt accurately identifying the inventor's name as stated on the Declaration and Power of Attorney form be issued and sent to the undersigned attorney.

A check in the amount of \$612.00 for (late filing of oath or declaration surcharge for \$65.00 as set forth in 37 CFR §1.16(e)); (\$370.00 for basic filing fee for a small entity); (\$135.00 for 15 total claims over 20); and (\$42.00 for 1 independent claims over 3) is also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filling a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$177.
 - \$135 for 15 total claims over 20.
 - \$42 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 612.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawings submitted to the Office are not electronically reproducible. Drawing sheets must be submitted on paper which is flexible, strong, white, smooth, non-shiny, and durable (see 37 CFR 1.84(e));

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